

# IDAHO COMMUNITY PROFILES



## PLUMMER

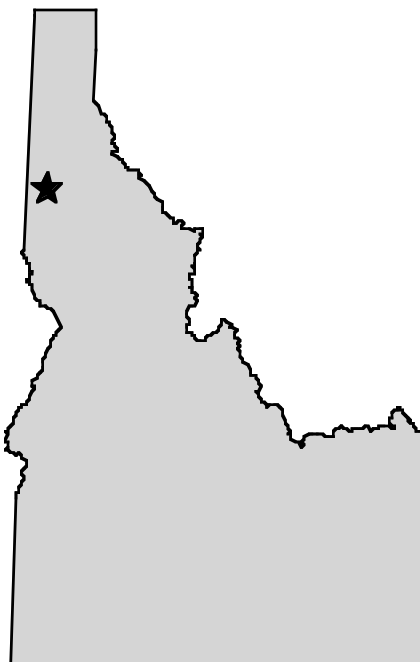
### Benewah County

#### POPULATION

	<u>1970</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2004</u>
<b>CITY</b>	443	634	804	962
<b>COUNTY</b>	<u>1970</u> 6,230	<u>1980</u> 8,292	<u>1990</u> 7,937	<u>2005</u> 9,218

#### COMMUNITY AGE GROUPS

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
<b>Under 5 years</b>	77	83	103
<b>5 to 19 years</b>	181	246	263
<b>20 to 44 years</b>	219	275	348
<b>45 to 64 years</b>	103	120	174
<b>65+ years</b>	54	80	102
<b>Median age</b>	24.9	26.7	29.1



#### HOUSING

##### COMMUNITY

	<u>1980 &amp; 1990 Census</u>	<u>1990 &amp; 2000 Census</u>
Percent Built Between	18.1 %	25.7 %
Total Housing Units	<u>1980</u> 232	<u>1990</u> 306
Median Value of Owner-Occupied Housing	29,000	45,000
Median Rent	136	140

##### COUNTY

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Total Housing Units	3,499	3,731	4,238
Median Value of Owner-Occupied Housing	35,000	44,500	89,000

#### COUNTY INCOME/PAYROLL (In Dollars)

	<u>1969</u>	<u>1979</u>	<u>1989</u>	<u>1999</u>
Median Household Income	8,160	16,975	21,508	31,517
Per Capita Income	<u>1969</u> 3,095	<u>1979</u> 7,866	<u>1989</u> 12,901	<u>2003</u> 21,987
Personal Income Total (000)	19,166	61,710	103,079	198,588
Avg. Monthly Wage	<u>1969</u> 503	<u>1979</u> 1,125	<u>1989</u> 1,581	<u>2004</u> 2,396
Annual Payroll (000)	7,205	33,333	49,979	100,569



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**COUNTY LABOR FORCE DATA**

<b>Nonfarm Employment</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>Civilian Labor Force</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>
Total Nonfarm Employment	3,495	Total Labor Force	3,955	4,078
Manufacturing	564			
Food Products Mfg	0	Total Employment	3,592	3,755
Wood Products Mfg	504			
Computer & Electronics Mfg	0	Total Unemployed	363	323
Construction	114			
Information	37	Percent Unemployed	9.2%	7.9%
Trade, Utilities & Trnsp.	627			
Retail & Wholesale Trade	355	Farm		
Transportation	261	Employment	181	190
Financial Activities	54			
Professional & Business Services	106			
Educational & Health Services	212			
Leisure & Hospitality	155			
Other Services	88			
Government	1,240			

\* -- indicates no employment or  
suppressed data

**REGIONAL LABOR COSTS \***

Average Hourly	1st Quart.	Median	3rd Quart.
Business & Financial	\$ 12.73	\$ 19.45	\$ 27.03
Computer & Math	13.68	21.38	27.98
Architecture & Engineering	15.07	22.95	30.33
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	13.08	21.27	27.39
Sales & Related	6.90	9.76	14.32
Office & Administrative Support	8.30	11.65	14.81
Construction & Extraction	9.33	14.61	17.87
Production	8.49	12.10	15.70

\* Idaho contains six  
wage survey  
regions.

Community  
specific wages  
may differ  
from regional  
averages.

**LARGEST EMPLOYERS/MANUFACTURERS**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Product or Service</u>	<u>Employees</u>
Coeur d' Alene Tribal Entities	Government & Retail Sales	200
Benewah Medical Center	Health Care Services	50
Plummer Forest Products	Lumber Mill	50

**TRANSPORTATION****MAJOR HIGHWAYS**

<u>Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Route Designation</u>	<u>Direction (Route)</u>	<u>Miles To Access</u>
Federal Highway	US 95	N-S	0
State Highway	US 5	E-W	0

**AIR SERVICE**

	<u>Navigation Equipment</u>	<u>Runway Length</u>	<u>Miles To Downtown</u>
None	0		NA

	<u>Scheduled Passenger Flights</u>		<u>Freight Flights</u>		<u>Local Charter Service Available?</u>
	<u>Carriers</u>	<u>Flights per day</u>	<u>Carriers</u>	<u>Flights per day</u>	
None	0	0	0	0	no

**RAIL SERVICE**

Railroads Serving the Community	St. Maries River Railroad		
Freight Service Available	yes	Distance to Nearest	mi
Passenger Service Available	no	Distance to Nearest	64 mi

**COMMUNICATIONS**

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Distance to nearest</u>		<u>Telephone Systems:</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Radio Broadcast Station (local)		X	mi		Digital Switching Available		X
Television Broadcast Stations (local)		X	mi		Electronic Analog Switching Available		X
Cable/CATV/Satellite TV Companies	X		mi		Universal One-Party Service		X
Number of Local Daily Newspapers	2						
Number of Local Weekly Newspapers	2						

**MEETING & LODGING FACILITIES**

	<u>Public Owned</u>	<u>Private Owned</u>
Number of Meeting Facilities	2	3
Number of Meeting Rooms	2	3
Total Seating Capacity	70	150
Seating Capacity of Largest Room	50	100
Number of Lodging Rooms		18

**HEALTH CARE FACILITIES**

Number of Hospitals	0
Distance to Nearest	18 mi
Number of Beds	0
Ambulance Service Available	yes
Number of General Clinics	1

**MUNICIPAL SERVICES****Water System**

Maximum Plant Daily Production	500	tg
Maximum Daily Usage	336	tg
Average Daily Usage	252	tg
Storage Capacity	532	tg

**Sewer System**

Treatment Plant Design Capacity	.13	mgd
Average Daily Usage (% of capacity)	70	%
Largest Main Line Capacity (diameter)	8	inches

Regulatory System	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Comprehensive Plan	X	
Zoning Ordinance	X	
Building Permit System	X	
Subdivision Ordinance	X	
Territory Covered by Zoning Municipality	X	
County		X
Number of Public Libraries	1	

**Fire Protection System**

Rating by Idaho Surveying & Rating Bureau (1 = best; 10 = worst)	6
Number of Paid and Volunteer Firefighters	22

**Police Protection**

Number of Full-Time Officers	1
Part One Crimes* Per 100,000 Population	1,051 ** (2004)
* Part One crimes are the 8 most serious crimes as defined by the FBI.	
** county rate	

**COMMUNITY GOVERNMENT REVENUE**

Typical Property Tax Rate	1.257613400 %
Total Net Market Value 2005	22,325,809

**EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES****PUBLIC SCHOOLS**District Name

Plummer/Worley Joint District #44

**PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOLS**Public Secondary Programs (by District)

Plummer/Worley Joint District #44

**PRIVATE SCHOOLS**(all grades)

Number of Schools in County	0
(*Not all private schools report)	

**COMMUNITY COLLEGES**Distance  
(in miles)

North Idaho College	34
Spokane Community College	38
Spokane Falls Community College	44

Post-SecondaryDistance  
(in miles)

North Idaho College Professional-Technical	37
Spokane Community College Professional-Technical	38
Spokane Falls Community College	44
North Idaho College Workforce Training Center	46
University of Idaho Research Park	46
Lewis-Clark Professional-Technical	81

\* TECC Center only. Some data unavailable.

**FOUR-YEAR COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES**Distance  
(in miles)

Whitworth College	38
Gonzaga University	40
University of Idaho	53
Eastern Washington University	58
Washington State University	63
Lewis-Clark State College	81

**ENERGY**

	RESIDENTIAL	COMMERCIAL	INDUSTRIAL	CUSTOMER-OWNED GAS TRANSPORT FEE
<b>NATURAL GAS</b>	\$ N/A (75 therms/mo.)	\$ N/A (400 therms/mo.)	\$ N/A (100,000 therms/mo. Direct Sale)	\$ N/A (100,000 therms/mo.)
<b>ELECTRICITY</b>	\$ 70.00 (1,000 KWH/Mo.)	\$ 3,970.00 (300 KW, 90,000 KWH/Mo.)	\$ 15,445.00 (1 MW, 400,000 KWH/Mo.)	

**WEATHER/CLIMATE**

<b>TEMPERATURE</b>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Month</u>	<b>ELEVATION</b>
Lowest Average Daily Minimum Temperature	21.1	January	2,722 feet
Highest Average Daily Maximum Temperature	86.0	July	
Hottest Month	July	Coldest Month	January
Driest Month	July	Wettest Month	January
<b>PRECIPITATION</b>		<b>HUMIDITY</b>	
Average Annual Total Precipitation	23.77 inches	Average July Afternoon Humidity	27 %
Average Annual Snowfall	8.2 inches	Average January Afternoon Humidity	79 %

**RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES**

	<u>Distance</u> (miles)		<u>Number</u>	<u>Acres</u>
State Parks (within 50 miles)		City Parks	3	2.7
Heyburn	5			
McCroskey	20			
Old Mission	53			
National Forests (within 50 miles)	<u>Distance</u> (miles)		<u>Number</u>	
Coeur d'Alene	18	Golf Courses	0	
St. Joe - Palouse	25			
National Parks, Monuments, Recreation Areas and Major Natural Amenities (within 100 miles)	<u>Distance</u> (miles)	Downhill Ski Areas (within 100 miles)		<u>Distance</u> (miles)
Lake Bell Bay	10	Silverhorn		35
Latah County Museum	40	Bald Mountain		75
Hobo Ceder Grove Botanical Area	40	Schweitzer		75
Fourth of July Canyon	50			
Sunshine Miners Memorial	55			
Nez Perce National Historical Park	65			

**LOCAL & REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATIONS**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Phone (208)</u>	<u>E-Mail Address</u>
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